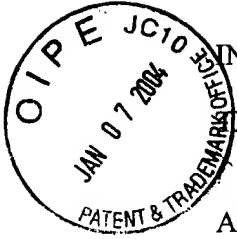


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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136 petition is hereby made for a one-month extension of time up to and including January 24, 2004 in which to respond to the Official Action. A check in the amount of \$110.00 for the extension fee is enclosed herewith.

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